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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of:

Alan Drizen et al.

Serial No.: 09/986,183

Filing Date: November 7, 2001

Title: **TOPICAL DRUG PREPARATIONS****PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136**Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17 and 1.136, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an extension of time as follows:

XX **Three-month** extension of time to respond to Official Action dated March 11, 2003 (\$465.00 fee).

XX A check for the above-indicated amount is enclosed (\$465.00).

If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136, other than those provided herewith, are required to allow consideration of papers accompanying this Petition, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The Commissioner is specifically authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

Respectfully submitted,

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